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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – MA&UD Department - Allegations levelled against Sri V.Rajeswara Rao, the then Town Planning Officer, Town Planning Section, Office of the Commissioner, Vizianagaram Municipality, as he had exhibited gross negligence by returning the draft endorsement signed by him to the Town Planning Supervisor Sri Ch.V.Narayana Rao instead of forwarding to the Municipal Commissioner - Departmental Proceedings under Rule-20 of the A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 – Article of charges issued - Inquiring Authority appointed - Appointment of Sri G.A.V.Ramana, Inspector of Police, ACB, Vizianagaram Range as Presenting Officer - Orders - Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.667 **Dated:29.11.2021.**

Read the following:-

1) From the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, A.P., Vijayawada, Letter Rc.No.79/RCT-VVZ/2016, dated.01.11.2017.
2) G.O.Rt.No.615, MA&UD (Vig.I) Department, dated.05.06.2018.
3) Written Statement of Defence of Sri V.Rajeswara Rao, the then Town Planning Officer, Vizianagaram Municipality, dated.27.10.2018.
4) G.O.Rt.No.1116, MA&UD (Vig.I) Department, dated.12.12.2018.
5) Govt.Memo.No.286677/Vig.I/2016, dated.12.12.2018.
6) From the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, A.P., Vijayawada, Letter Rc.No.79/RCT-VVZ/2016-S12, dated.28.10.2021.

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O R D E R:

Whereas, an inquiry under Rule-20 of A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 is being held against Sri V.Rajeswara Rao, the then Town Planning Officer, Vizianagaram Municipality for exhibiting gross negligence by returning the draft endorsement signed by him to the Town Planning Supervisor Sri Ch.V.Narayana Rao instead of forwarding to the Municipal Commissioner and thereby violated Rules 3 (1) and 3 (2) of A.P.C.S. (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

2. And whereas, it is considered that, a Presenting Officer should be appointed to present the case before the Inquiring Authority on behalf of the Disciplinary Authority in support of the articles of charge.

3. Now therefore, the Disciplinary Authority, in exercise of powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-rule (5) of Rule 20 of the A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991, hereby appoint Sri G.A.V.Ramana, Inspector of Police, ACB, Vizianagaram Range as Presenting Officer.

4. The Presenting Officer shall obtain the connected records of the case, from the Office of the Director of Town & Country Planning, A.P., Guntur and present the case before the Inquiring Authority on behalf of the Disciplinary Authority.

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5. The receipt of the G.O., shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Y. SRILAKSHMI
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri G.A.V.Ramana, Inspector of Police & Presenting Officer,
ACB, Vizianagaram Range – **through** the D.G., ACB., A.P., Vijayawada.
Sri T.Venugopal, Municipal Commissioner & Inquiry Officer,
Vizianagaram Municipality - **through** the D.G., ACB., A.P., Vijayawada.
Sri V.Rajeswara Rao, the then Town Planning Officer,
Vizianagaram Municipality - **through** the DTCP., A.P., Guntur.

Copy to:
The Director of Town & Country Planning, A.P., Guntur.
The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Secretary to A.P.Vigilance Commission, 5th Building, AP Secretariat.
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//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER